

Juniata Shops, Turntable
South of Sixth Street at Third Avenue
Altoona
Blair County
Pennsylvania

HAER No. PA-232-K

HAER
PA,
7-ALTO,
4-K-

PHOTOGRAPHS

WRITTEN HISTORICAL AND DESCRIPTIVE DATA

HISTORIC AMERICAN ENGINEERING RECORD

JUNIATA SHOPS, TURNTABLE

HAER
PA,
7-ALTO,
4-K-

HAER No. PA-232-K

Location: South of Sixth Street at Third Avenue, Altoona, Blair County, Pennsylvania
USGS Quad: Altoona, Pennsylvania (1:24000)
UTM: 17 E.721600 N.4490040

Date of Construction: ca. 1925

Builder: Pennsylvania Railroad

Present Owner: Conrail

Present Use: Turntable

Significance: A typical electrically powered turntable used in conjunction with the adjacent Erecting Shops and Machine Shops (HAER No. PA-232-D).

Project Information: This project was undertaken by HAER in conjunction with America's Industrial Heritage Project as part of an architectural survey covering a nine-county region in Southwestern Pennsylvania, Randall Cooley, Director. See HAER No. PA-108, Pennsylvania Railroad, Altoona Works, Altoona, Blair County, Pennsylvania for further project information and documentation.

Compiler: Peter Stott, Historian
Gray Fitzsimons, Editor